

EXHIBIT 9

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
WACO DIVISION**

SONOS, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

GOOGLE LLC

Defendant.

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CIVIL ACTION 6:20-cv-00881-ADA

PLAINTIFF’S LIST OF PROPOSED CONSTRUCTIONS

Plaintiff Sonos, Inc. (“Plaintiff”) submits the following list of proposed constructions of claim terms pursuant to the Order Governing Proceedings (“OGP”) and the Scheduling Order entered in this case.

Plaintiff reserves the right to update, supplement, revise, or otherwise modify these proposed constructions in light of further investigation and discovery, including evidence not yet produced by Defendant, or in light of modification or supplementation of Defendant’s invalidity contentions.

<u>Term(s)</u>	<u>Patent(s)</u>	<u>Sonos's Proposed Construction</u>
"zone scene"	'206 Pat. '966 Pat. '885 Pat.	<i>See below for proposed construction in context; no separate construction necessary</i>
"zone scene identifying a group configuration"	'206 Pat.	<i>See below for proposed construction in context; no separate construction necessary</i>
"zone scene identifying a group configuration associated with two or more of the plurality of independent playback devices"	'206 Pat.	"a predefined grouping of [independent playback devices / zone players] that are to be configured for synchronous playback of media when the zone scene is invoked"
"[first / second] zone scene comprising a [first / second] predefined grouping of zone players including at least the first zone player and a [second / third] zone player that are to be configured for synchronous playback of media when the [first / second] zone scene is invoked"	'966 Pat. '885 Pat.	
"zone configuration"	'206 Pat.	<i>See below for proposed construction in context; no separate construction necessary</i>
"zone configuration characterizes one or more zone scenes"	'206 Pat.	"configuration data that provides an indication of one or more zone scenes"
"group configuration"	'206 Pat.	Plain and ordinary meaning; no construction necessary
"causing the selectable indication of the at least one of the one or more zone scenes to be displayed"	'206 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
"invoke"/ "invoked" / "invoking"/ "invocation"	'206 Pat. '966 Pat. '885 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
"multimedia"	'206 Pat. '615 Pat.	"any type of media that comprises audio (including audio alone)"

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"multimedia controller"	'206 Pat.	<i>See above for "multimedia"; otherwise, plain and ordinary meaning; no further construction necessary</i>
"multimedia content"	'615 Pat.	<i>See above for "multimedia"; otherwise, plain and ordinary meaning; no further construction necessary</i>
"playback device"	'615 Pat. '033 Pat.	"data network device configured to process and output audio"
"zone player"	'966 Pat. '885 Pat.	"data network device configured to process and output audio"
"data network"	'885 Pat. '033 Pat.	"a medium that interconnects devices, enabling them to send digital data packets to and receive digital data packets from each other"
"local area network"	'615 Pat.	"data network that interconnects devices within a limited area, such as a home or office"
"network interface"	'206 Pat. '615 Pat.	"physical component of a device that provides an interconnection with [a data network] / [the local area network]"
"wireless communication interface"	'615 Pat.	"physical component of a device that provides a wireless interconnection with a local area network"
"standalone mode"	'966 Pat. '885 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
"data defining the second zone scene"	'966 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary

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"wherein the instruction ... comprises an instruction..."	'885 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
"first cloud servers" and "second cloud servers of a streaming content service"	'615 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
"a cloud-based computing system associated with a cloud-based media service"	'033 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
"one or more transport controls to control playback"	'615 Pat.	"one or more user input elements, each enabling control of a respective playback-related function"
"playback queue"	'615 Pat. '033 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
"remote playback queue"	'033 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
"transport control operation"	'033 Pat.	"operation that controls a playback-related function"
"configure"	'033 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
"no longer configured for playback"	'033 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
"first mode" "second mode"	'033 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
"playback responsibility"	'033 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary

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“an instruction for the at least one given playback device to take over responsibility for playback of the remote playback queue from the computing device, wherein the instruction configures the at least one given playback device to (i) communicate with the cloud-based computing system in order to obtain data identifying a next one or more media items that are in the remote playback queue, (ii) use the obtained data to retrieve at least one media item in the remote playback queue from the cloud-based media service; and (iii) play back the retrieved at least one media item;”	‘033 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
“wherein the instruction comprises an instruction”	‘033 Pat.	Plain and ordinary; no construction necessary
“a media particular playback system”	‘615 Pat.	“a media playback system”

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